

# The Hongkong Telegraph.

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MONDAY, JUNE 29, 1891.

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER.

## Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £2,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL £80,000.

LONDON:  
Head Office: 40, Threadneedle Street.  
West End Office: 25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN  
AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT,  
Issues Letters of CREDIT, forwards BILLS OF  
EXCHANGE, and Transacts Banking and  
Agency Business generally, on terms to be had  
on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:  
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.  
Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.  
Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS  
2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.  
E. W. RUTTER,  
Manager. (10)

## Insurances.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY,  
ESTABLISHED 1825.

INVESTED FUNDS £7,000,000 Stg.  
ANNUAL INCOME £900,000 Stg.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, SHANGHAI:  
R. E. WAINWRIGHT, Esq.,  
AUGUSTUS WHITE, Esq.,  
F. H. BELL, Esq.,  
NEIL MACLEOD, Esq., M.D., Medical Officer.

W. T. PHIPPS, Esq., Chief Agent.

AGENCIES:  
Amoy—Messrs. Brown & Co.  
Canton—Messrs. Rowe & Co.  
Chefoo—Messrs. Cornhill & Co.  
Hongkong—Messrs. Phipps, Phipps & Co.  
Kobe—Messrs. Brown & Co.  
Nagasaki—China & Japan Trading Co., Ltd.  
Newchwang—Messrs. Bannister & Co.  
Ningbo—Gustav Kulltau, Esq.  
Peking—Dr. Dudgeon, Medical Officer.  
Swatow—Messrs. Bradley & Co.  
Tientsin—Messrs. Wilson & Co.  
Yokohama—Messrs. Fraser, Farley & Co.  
The Standard is an old and wealthy Scottish  
Office, well-known throughout India and the  
East, and has acquired a marked character for  
sound and liberal management.  
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,  
Agents, Hongkong,  
Standard Life Office.  
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GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE  
ASSURANCE COMPANY IN  
LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company, are prepared  
to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and  
LIFE at Current Rates.  
REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,  
Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. (166)

## NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY  
LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000.  
The above Company is prepared to accept  
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,  
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world  
payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,  
Secretary.  
HEAD OFFICE:  
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. (216)

## GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,  
(LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$835,333-33  
Equal to }  
RESERVE FUND } \$318,000-00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:  
LEE SING, Esq.,  
LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.,  
MANAGER.—HO AMEI.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken  
at CURRENT RATES on all parts of the  
world.

HEAD OFFICE: 8 & 9, PRINCE STREET,  
HONGKONG, 17th December, 1881. (120)

## Masonic.

ST. JOHN LODGE  
OF HONGKONG,  
No. 618, S.C.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above  
named Lodge will be held in FREEMASONS'  
HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW,  
the 30th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely.  
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.  
Hongkong, 27th June, 1891. (191)

ZETLAND LODGE,  
No. 555.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above  
named Lodge will be held in the FREEMASONS'  
HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY  
next, the 1st July, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely.  
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.  
Hongkong, 24th June, 1891. (193)

## NOTICE.

### GREAT CLEARANCE SALE.

OWING to the COMPANY'S REMOVAL  
to their Steam Factory at Wanchai at  
the end of the current month, their large and  
splendidly made stock of HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE at their Show-room, "Connaught  
House," Queen's Road Central, is now offered  
during this month at greatly reduced prices.  
MARLBOROUGH FURNITURE CO., Ltd.,  
Hongkong, 9th June, 1891. (16)

## Intimations.

"CAMPHYLENE"

A NEW DISINFECTANT, GERMICIDE,  
INSECTICIDE, AND ANTIMICROBE.

A powerful and effective Non-poisonous and  
Non-corrosive Disinfectant for use in Sick  
Rooms, for fumigating Clothing, Bed Linen, &c.,  
and for general use as an agreeable indoor  
Disinfectant for Closets, Lavatories, Sinks, &c.

It has a pleasant smell, and is similar to  
Camphor as regards its property of evaporation.  
The warmer the weather or climate the more  
effective is its action.

Prevents Moth in Clothes, Furs, Carpets, &c.  
Drives away Flies, Mosquitoes, and other  
Insects.

Camphylene to suit its Various Uses is Manu-  
factured in several forms, viz.:—Balls, Solid  
Blocks, and Powder.

The Balls and Solid Blocks are Sold in Tins  
at 50 Cents, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 each. The  
Powder in Tins at 50 Cents, \$1 and \$1.50 each.  
The largest sizes are the cheapest in proportion.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

Sole Agents for

HONGKONG, CHINA, AND MANILA.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI,

24, Nankin Road.

BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA,

14, Escolta.

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON,

Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHEW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE,

8, Fenchurch Buildings, E.C.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

27th April, 1891. (162)

THE WANCHAI WAREHOUSE AND  
STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL £250,000

DIVIDED INTO 2,500 SHARES

OF \$100 EACH.

Payments of \$10 on application \$37.50 on allotment

and the balance as and when required.

General Managers:

Messrs. MEYER & Co.

Consulting Committee:

H. W. DICK, Esq., (W. Hewitt & Co.)

CHAS. J. HIRST, Esq., (Stollenhoff & Hirst),

C. S. SHARP, Esq., (Gibb, Livingston & Co.)

Bankers:

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION.

Solicitors:

Messrs. WOTTON & DEACON,

Architects:

Messrs. PALMER & TURNER.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

THIS Company is formed for the purpose of

acquiring, developing and increasing the

Storage business at present and for many years

carried on at Victoria, Hongkong, by Messrs.

MEYER & Co., and connection with such business

to acquire the valuable properties situated at

Wanchai, and registered in the Land Office

as Marine Lot No. 29, formerly known as Marine

Lots Nos. 29, 30, 31 and 32, and Island Lots

Nos. 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 613, 614 and 615.

A number of the buildings covering these two

properties are let to monthly tenants, particulars

of the tenancies can be obtained on application

at the Office of Messrs. Meyer & Co.

The purchase price for the two properties,

which is to include the goodwill of Messrs.

Meyer & Co.'s Storage business is \$553,500, of

which \$100,000 will remain on Mortgage, and of

the remaining \$453,500 the sum of \$25,250 will

be paid to the Vendors by the allotment of 1,500

shares in the Company, on each of which \$17.50

shall be deemed to have been paid up, and the

balance of \$428,250 will be paid in cash.

All expenses in connection with the formation

and registration of the Company will be borne

and paid by the Vendors.

Applications for 700 Shares have already been

received, and the balance of 400 Shares is now

offered for subscription by the public.

Prospectuses, and forms of application for

shares may be obtained from the Company's

Bankers and at the Office of the Company's

Solicitors, Messrs. WOTTON & DEACON, of

25, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, and should

be filled up and forwarded to the Company's

Bankers on or before the 30th day of June,

1891.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of

Association of the Company may be inspected

at the Office of the Company's solicitors.

Dated the 26th day of June, 1891. (191)

## Intimations.

W. POWELL & CO.

FILTERS.

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STONE and GLASS WATER FILTERS, all sizes.

W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, 27th June, 1891. (16)

W. BREWER

HAS JUST RECEIVED

COLONIAL YEAR BOOK, 1891.  
Men and Women of the Times 1891.  
The Colliery Manager's Handbook.  
Sentinel's Art, by Harry Quiller.  
Ramsay's Mineralogy.  
Palgrave's Chairman's Handbook.  
Salter's Black Gut Tennis Bats.  
The Demon  
The Champion

Sold Sole Tennis Shoes.  
Brown Russia Shoes.  
Large quantities of New Light Reading.  
Merrett's Land Surveying.  
Matheson's Aid Book to Engineering Enter-  
prise Abroad.  
A 1 Telegraph Code.  
Miss Bird's Japan.

W. BREWER,  
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 10th June, 1891. (159)

CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.,

FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS,

Commission Agents.

REFRESHING AND COOLING DRINKS FOR THE HOT WEATHER.

PURE FRUIT JUICES.

Lemon, Raspberry, Strawberry, Apple and Pear, &c., &c.  
Rose's Raspberry Viadeg, Montserrat Lime Juice, and Lime Juice Cordial.  
GRANULAR RASPBERRY CITRATE.  
(Victoria Effervescent Saline—The Universal Blood Purifier).

All requisite Medicines for the "DOG," Mange Lotion, Worm Powders, Carbolic Soap, &c., &c.  
JAPAN VEILCHEN PERFUMES AND SOAP, ORIZA PERFUMES SOLID.  
Hongkong, 26th May, 1891. (17)



CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO.,

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS,

Hongkong—18, Queen's Road.

CHAMPAGNES (best brands).

PORTS (Sandeman & Co.)

SHERRIES (Gonzales, Byass & Co.)

HOCKS (Deinhard & Co.)

Spirits, Ales and Stouts of the very best qualities.

Agencies in all the principal ports of China and Japan. (16)

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HAVE NOW RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF

SUMMER HOSIERY.

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING SUNDRIES.

SUMMER TEXTURES in Undershirts, Pants and Half-hose, London-made Shirts, New Long-  
cloth, Zephyr, Oxford and French Print Shirts, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Scarves, Ties  
and Cravats, Waterproof Coats, Aprons and Umbrellas, Men's Bathing Suits and Drawers,  
Athletic Drawers, Towels, Bath Gowns, Bath Blankets, Bath Gloves, Sun Umbrellas, Sun Hats,  
Straw Hats, Felt Hats, and Boots and Shoes.  
Frickley Heat Soap, Carbolic Soap, Pear's Soap, Eau de Cologne, New Perfumes, Toilet  
Vinegar, Lavender Water, Rowland's Kalydor, Dentifrice, Eau de Quinine, Hair Wash, &c., &c.  
Anti-Calculi for Softening Water.

Hongkong, 3rd June, 1891. (14)

ESTABLISHED 1875.  
MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & CO.,

(From 7, Broadwood & Son and Collard & Collard.)  
PIANOS, ORGANS, MUSIC and all kinds of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS for Sale, Hire, or  
Purchase by easy MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Ship Pianos, Transposing Pianos, Old Pianos  
taken in exchange.

PIANO TUNING.  
Once in two months ..... \$25 per year.  
Once a month and INCLUDING all repairs of a minor nature, and the  
keeping of the Piano in good order and condition ..... \$48 "

Single Tuning ..... \$5  
REPAIRS and RE-BUILDING of Pianos, Organs, &c., a specialty. We have had 16 YEARS  
extensive, practical experience in China, and all our TUNERS and REPAIRERS have been trained in  
the best factories in England. Estimates Free and Work Guaranteed.

MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & CO.,  
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL,  
and at London, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.

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ROBERT LANG & CO.

NEW HATS.

BLACK, GREY AND BROWN FELTS

SINGLE, TERAI HATS

(ALL SHADIES).

STRAW AND PITH HATS.

Hongkong, 5th June, 1891. (135)

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

HAVE RECEIVED PER S.S. "AJAX" FRESH SUPPLIES OF

KINNEY'S

STRAIGHT CUT CIGARETTES

AND

SWEET CAPORALS

AND A NEW STOCK OF

AMERICAN SQUEEZERS

PLAIN AND GILT-EDGED.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 26th June, 1891. (17)

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received  
Instructions from the Official Liquidator

of the  
HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED,  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION,  
ON

MONDAY,  
the 6th July, 1891, at 2 p.m.

(with the approbation of the Chief Justice).

THE FLOATING HOTEL "HONGKONG  
MARINA" with her ANCHORS, CHAINS,  
PUMPS, AWNINGS, FITTINGS, &c., as she  
now lies in the Harbour, and immediately ad-  
wards the FURNITURE and HOTEL FIT-  
TINGS, including—TEAK DINING  
TABLES, VIENNA CHAIRS, MIRRORS,  
Tapestry and Leather Covered COUCHES,  
IRON BEDSTEADS with Spring and Half  
MATTRESSES, SHIPS' WASHSTAND and  
BATH FURNITURE, SWING LAMPS,  
WINDUP LAMP, COOKING RANGES,  
TEAK BAR and FITTINGS, OFFICE  
FURNITURE, ELECTROPLATED WARE,  
GLASS WARE, CROCKERY, CUTLERY,  
&c., &c.

A STEAM LAUNCH.

A BILLIARD TABLE by Lazarus, Calcutta.

A quantity of WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS,  
&c., &c.

Catalogues with conditions of sale will be  
issued.

A plan and description of the ship may be  
seen at the Auctioneers' office.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 19th June, 1891. (186)

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,  
the 11th July, 1891, at 11.30 a.m., at Yow-ma-ll

Bay, where they lie.

The Hull of the Chinese Gunboat CHOP

CHUNG, length 175 feet, Beam 25 feet, depth

of hold 7 1/2 feet, built of Teak throughout at

Whampoa in 1875, and is exceedingly strong

even for a gunboat.

The Hull of the Chinese Gunboat HAI

CHEONG CHING length 125 feet, Beam 21

feet, depth of hold 8 feet, built at Whampoa in

1875 of teak, and is exceptionally strong through-  
out. Draft of water 6 1/2 feet.

The Hai Cheong Ching has about \$1,000

worth of yellow metal on her bottom.

Both these vessels are admirably fitted for

carriage-boats, for which purpose they could be

adapted at very little outlay.

3 Lengths of SHAFING.

3 ANCHORS and a Lengths of CHAIN.

1 DEEP SEA ANCHOR, CHAINS, &c., &c.

The Schooner MONTARA, length 75 feet,

Beam 18 feet, depth of hold 7 1/2 feet, registered

tonnage 75 tons. (Owing to recent alterations

the carrying capacity of the Montara has been

increased to about 120 tons, dead weight.)

The Montara was built in Singapore, and is

most solidly constructed of teak throughout, with

iron-wood frames. She has recently been

thoroughly overhauled under experienced Euro-  
pean supervision, and is fastened through-  
out with 7 inch galvanised spikes, and new re-  
coppered. She is lashed-decked with the best

canvas sail, draft of water 7 feet.

With ANCHORS, CHAINS, BOATS, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase

money to be paid on fall of hammer, the remain-  
der on transfer.



## Intimations.

**DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED,**  
DISPENSING CHEMISTS, &c.

CHEMISTS AND AERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS.

A REFRESHING WHOLESOME DRINK.

**DAKIN'S LEMON SQUASH.**  
A VERITABLE LEMON SQUASH  
AERATED, COOLING, THIRST  
QUENCHING.

PER DOZEN 50 CENTS.

(Telephone No. 62.)

No. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,  
Hongkong, 4th May, 1891.



**A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.**  
(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)  
HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old  
branded Brandy, all of which are of ex-  
cellent quality and good value for the money.  
The same being specially selected by our  
London House, and bought direct from the most  
noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled  
by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the  
best goods at moderate prices.

IN ordering it is only necessary to state  
the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted,  
and initial letter for quality desired.  
Orders through Local Post or by Telegram  
receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
A. Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule.....	10	\$1.00
B. Vintage, Superior quality, Red Capsule.....	12	1.10
C. Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule.....	14	1.25
D. Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled).....	18	1.50

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
SHERRIES		
A. Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule.....	6	0.60
B. Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule.....	7.50	0.75
C. Massarilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule.....	10	1.00
CC. Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule.....	10	1.00
D. Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old wine, White Seal Capsule.....	10	1.00
E. Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled).....	14	1.50

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
CLARETS.		
A. Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule.....	84	\$4.50
B. St. Julien, Red Capsule.....	4.50	5.00
C. St. Julien, Red Capsule.....	7	7.50
D. La Rose.....	11	12.50

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
BRANDY.		
A. Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule.....	12	\$1.10
B. Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule.....	14	1.25
C. Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule.....	18	1.50
D. Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vin- tage, Red Capsule.....	24	2.00

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
SCOTCH WHISKY.		
A. Thorne's Blend, White Cap- sule.....	8	0.75
B. Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark.....	8	0.75
C. Watson's Abouln-Glenlivet, Red Capsule with Name and Trade Mark.....	8	0.75
D. Watson's H. & D. Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule.....	10	1.00
E. Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule.....	12	1.10

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
IRISH WHISKY.		
A. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule.....	8	0.75
B. John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule.....	10	1.00
C. John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule.....	12	1.10
GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY, fine Old, Red Capsule, with Name.....	10	1.00

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
GIN.		
A. Fine Old Tom, White Capsule.....	4.50	0.40
B. Fine Unsweetened, White Capsule.....	4.50	0.40
C. Fine A. V. H. Geneva.....	1.50	0.50

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
RUM.		
A. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule.....	12	1.00
Good Leonard Island.....	\$1.50 per Gallon.	

	No. Case.	Per Doz.
LIQUEURS.		
Benedictine.....		
Marschalline.....		
Coracao.....		
Cherry.....		
Dr. Slegert's Angostura Bitters, &c.....		

**The Hongkong Telegraph.**

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 29, 1891.

## TELEGRAMS.

CONTINUED ILLNESS OF MR. GLADSTONE.

Mr. Gladstone is still suffering from influenza. His condition is causing his friends considerable anxiety.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

\*BOCCACCIO\* to-night, and a bumper house.

An Emergency Convocation of Cathay Chapter, No. 1165, will be held in Frommson's Hall, Zeland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited.

A telegram was to a Manila contemporary, dated the 25th June, says that by the collapse of a bridge in Switzerland, 120 persons have been killed, and over 300 injured. It is inferred that some trials were de-laisted.

CORONADO Day yesterday. Thirty dollars spent in water in consequence.

THE P. O. S. N. Co's steamer *Bombay* left Singapore for this port at 3.30 p.m. yesterday.

Is marriage a failure? "Bridal outfit to rent" is the headline on the sign of a New York tradesman.

THE returns of the number of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending June 28th, are:—

"Enquirer" is wrong in supposing that the *Empress of India* has taken root in the fairway—she took in some cargo only a fortnight ago.

We are informed by the agent of the Messageries Maritimes that the Company's steamer *Salado*, with the next French mail, left Saigon for this port, at 4 p.m. yesterday.

A SORT of Trust and Loan Company is being formed in Manila, with a capital of one million dollars, to develop the resources of the Philippines. The H. & S. funds will come in handy.

A WRITER in an American paper has formed the opinion that the measures of a lawyer in making out a bill are exceeded only by the measures of the work most of his clients expect him to do. Whereupon we chip in "quite true."

It is satisfactory to note that great progress is being made with the works at the Hongkong Railway in Toquing. The locomotives and rails have arrived safely at the mines and have been landed and the laying of the track is progressing with all speed.

FIFTY cases in two hours isn't a bad record, even for Mr. A. G. Wise. That was about the number this morning, the majority being miscreants who hawked rice-puddings, blood, bean-curd, herbs, etc., without helping to pay the increased official salaries.

THE Manila *Comercio* of the 24th inst. says that Judge Lobit, of the Court of First Instance, has had the "noisy" question between the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and Messrs. Jurado and Co. before him. The Bank had re-opened, after being closed for nearly a month.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at the Sanatorium, on Wednesday next, commencing at 5.15 p.m.:—

Overture—"Hunting Song" (Kaiser's Band).  
"The Girl of the Year" (Kaiser's Band).  
"The Girl of the Year" (Kaiser's Band).  
"The Girl of the Year" (Kaiser's Band).

THE Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs are again setting a good example to the British Government in regard to good faith, for it is reported that under instructions from Sir Robert Hart, a lighthouse is to be at once erected on Wai-lin Island. At all events yesterday Mr. McLeay Brown accompanied by the Commanders of the "Hercules" (Captain Hastings, R.N.) and a large party proceeded outside the Lygon upon a visit of inspection.

If the spirit of English law were only enforced here, or were Hongkong to be bumped down in London for twenty-four hours, what spicy revelations would be made to the Sir for the fact that at the Old Bally a few weeks since Joseph R. Thorne and Annie Roodhouse, his wife, convicted of obtaining money and jewelry by trafficking in children, were sentenced, the former to eighteen months' and the woman to twelve months' hard labour. The Recorder remarked that the case was an extraordinary one, for the prisoners had obtained possession of no fewer than 34 children, with whom they had traded and obtained over £300.

FROM private letters received from Shanghai, says the *Kobe Herald*, we learn that the approximate liabilities of Messrs. Russell & Co. to local creditors alone are as follows:—

	Amount.
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.....	Tls. 150,000.00
Comptoir National d'Escompte.....	75,000.00
Chartered Bank of India, Aus- tralia, and China.....	75,000.00
Deutsche Asiatische Bank.....	30,000.00
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China.....	15,000.00
The Taikoo of Shanghai.....	105,000.00
Other Chinese creditors.....	45,000.00
Aggregating the sum of Tls. 945,000, or say \$1,250,000.	

THE expected declaration of war between England and Portugal has come. The first hostilities occurred in Kowloon last night, and our campaign correspondent sends the following details:—Two Englishmen, brothers, when quietly going home, met a crowd of Portuguese youths, about a dozen altogether, who had been having a drinking old time at the hotel. One of them, without apparent reason, struck the biggest of the brothers a severe blow with a stick. For the next few minutes the air was filled with Lusitanian fur and feathers, but numbers prevailed in the end, and the Britons had to make a strategic movement to the southeast. Their assailants seized the opportunity to hire a few sampans and start for home, but before they had embarked one or two of the crowd were surrounded by the constabulary, and now eligible for Belton medals and crutches. The *Tele* has been ordered to get up steam, if coals can be obtained on a promissory note, and I am watching developments.

HOW things are running in America. An old mountaineer, named Bell, living at Wolf Creek, Tennessee, lost his wife about six weeks ago. A fortnight later he married again, his second wife being a young girl. The members of his family were so enraged when they heard the news that they went in a body to Bell's house, took his young wife out, stripped her, and gave her a hundred lashes. Bell and a friend of his named John Bellow had the assailants of the young wife arrested, but they were released on bail. As soon as they were liberated they went to Bell's house in order to punish him for interfering in the family feud. Bellow and his family resisted the attack and a free fight ensued. Two members of the Bell family and a man named Jack Johnston were killed, and five others were seriously injured by bullet wounds that they are not expected to recover. Both sides have armed themselves with a view to renewing the quarrel and fighting it out to the bitter end.

THE parties who are running the gambling hell on the border of British territory at Kowloon, are making strenuous efforts to resist interference with their nefarious occupation. There is one point in connection with this question to which we must call the attention of the authorities and the public. It is that in the negotiations for the Extradition Treaty with Great Britain commenced, also when the Optium Convention, by which the commercial blockade of this port was effected, took place one of the chief points upon which the Chinese Government relied was that it was incumbent upon friendly neighboring nations to prevent as far as practicable injurious traffic to the detriment of one or the other. This principle the British Government recognized, and the Chinese Government gained the end they had in view. Upon the same principle we submit the Chinese Government are bound to take notice of any representation from the Colonies' Government in regard to these notorious haunts of vice which have been purposely placed at our doors to demoralize and injure our fellow citizens.

In answer to a delegation of friends of peace, the late Von Moltke once gave the following answer:—"War is holy, of Divine institution; it is one of the sacred laws of the world; it keeps alive among men all the high, noble feelings of honour, disinterestedness, valour, courage, and, in a word, prevents them falling into the most hideous materialism." Who ever yet cited stinking fat?

THE Chinese authorities are trying to rake in their criminals. Two men were remanded by Mr. Wise to court on different charges of piracy and murder. But the Government gun mislaid fire at the third round. The rule in these matters is that any Chinaman who has a "down" on a fellow-countryman writes anonymously, denouncing the same, to the nearest mandarin, who thereupon prevails on Mr. Wise to issue a warrant. Apparently that was the procedure in the case in question. A book who has been for fifteen years employed at Wellington Barracks was so denounced, and to-day stood in the dock charged with burglary, child-stealing, and murder in a village near Canton last month. As it was a physical impossibility that he could have done it, and as none of the witnesses could identify him, he got off. But he has no redress for the arrest, apparently—and anyone who has seen what a happy-go-lucky business this system of identification is would freely admit that no small amount would compensate an innocent man for the risk.

THE competition among the members of the Hongkong Rifle Association for the long range—800 and 900 yards—Challenge Cup and Range Spoon took place on Saturday afternoon at Kowloon, in fine weather. Nine members competed, but the result was anything but brilliant, if we except the score at 800 yards of Mr. Ford, who won the cup for the third time, and now consequently possesses it as his absolute property. He also won the 300 yards spoon, while that for the 900 yards got the inexperienced Mann. The following were the scores:—

	800 yards.	900 yards.	Total.
Mr. C. Ford.....	48	48	96
P. C. McLeay.....	48	48	96
Inspector Mann.....	48	48	96
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THE delicate point as to whether it is a case of murder, or suicide, or playing possum, has been agitating the mind of the redoubtable Sergeant Hadden since Saturday night. About 11 p.m. a Chinaman rushed excitedly into the Central Station saying that her husband's cargo-boat had been boarded by ten men as it lay anchored near Jardine's wharf, at West Point, and that because they couldn't get \$10 on some pretence that it was for *likin* they had driven the crew below and looted the vessel. Hadden went with the lady to Tait-tai-tai Station and there found two wet Chinamen who had been rescued just before by Captain Phillips, of the *Chowfa*. He also didn't find two other pagans, who had disappeared before they could be saved. The survivors said that the four of them boarded the cargo-boat, knowing that there was a lot of oil on board that had been stolen, with a view to extorting black-mail, but the boat-folk drove them overboard. Subsequent inquiries showed that the captain of the cargo-boat, having got off the shore of the two men, announced that he himself had been drowned, but as he was afterwards found in a rice-shop he was presumably mistaken. When the other corpses are arrested the probabilities are that every body concerned will be jailed for robbery, though at present only Capt. Phillips' rescues are charged.

THE *Artemis Kicker* has a new mule on its staff who drives out in the following fashion:—Last week we had a few words of fatherly advice for the crowd down the river. That they are a bad gang no one outside their ranks disputes. They are always blowing, quarrelling, and shooting, and our Sheriff says the gang does not hesitate to take in a sheep or a steer now and then without inquiring who is the owner. We advised them to wash up, shave up, and get up and be white, and had something to say about a visit from a Victoria Committee in case they did not mend their ways. Tuesday night we got word that the gang were coming over to get revenge. In company with a few friends we took up a strategic position outside the office and waited. About midnight nineteen of the river crowd rode up, forced the front door of the office with a rush, and dashed in to secure our scalp. It wasn't there. It was outside. We dropped a chap named Pete Rincado, a half-breed, and the remainder were allowed to ride off in a panic. We didn't really mean to kill Pete, but the elevation of our shotgun was too high, and he fell over without a kick. The crowner's inquest, coffin, undertaking, &c., cost us \$12.25, but it wasn't such a bad investment. He makes No. 10 in our private graveyard, and the gang has been taught a great moral lesson. Pay no attention whatever to the ravings of our contemporary. He tried to steal the bones of a dead mule and half an acre of sand lot to start a p.g. of his own, but was detected and had to publicly apologise.

## SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Chief Justice).

June 29th.

## A CALL ON SURETIES.

In the suit Quincey v. Apar and another, plaintiff sued on a bond by which A. M. Apar and H. A. Sherazee guaranteed a sum of \$5,000 in case of non-return of certain shares lent by plaintiff to Gabriel Apar, now deceased. Mr. Robinson instructed by Mr. Hastings appeared for plaintiff, and defendants were unrepresented. Mr. Robinson said that as none of the defendants had filed an answer to the claim an order had been made to proceed *ex parte*. The facts were that plaintiff lent to the deceased 50 shares of the China Traders Marine Insurance Company, Limited, and 27 shares of the New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited, on May 6th, 1890, to be returned in or before August 1890. As security a bond for \$5,000 was signed by deceased, the defendants, and the solicitor who drew it up. If the shares were never returned, and the present action was brought to recover damages, strictly speaking plaintiff could claim the full amount of the bond, \$5,000, as penalty, and nominally that was the amount sued for; but it would be fairer, and he would be quite satisfied, to recover the actual value of the shares. In August last, with whatever dividends there might have been, that was \$5,000 less than the sum guaranteed. One of the defendants, Apar, was in Japan; a writ had been served on him (out of jurisdiction) and he had been brought to recover damages. Strictly speaking plaintiff could claim the full amount of the bond, \$5,000, as penalty, and nominally that was the amount sued for; but it would be fairer, and he would be quite satisfied, to recover the actual value of the shares. In August last, with whatever dividends there might have been, that was \$5,000 less than the sum guaranteed. 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out to the guilty was as swift and severe as they could make it.

We hear the Viceroy at Nanking is about to send home all the spare Hunsan ex-braves from his locality. If these are dumped out at our port, as is possible, they will somewhat complicate matters here.

The following two notices were circulated to-day. The first we were glad indeed to see, as, in the event of an alarm being raised, without any common understanding amongst us, the confusion resulting would have greatly increased the risk, and encouraged the rioters. The second document is also reassuring.

(1) "The Defence Committee have appointed the honours of Messrs. Melchior, Pechteroff & Co., and Messrs. J. J. Matheson & Co., as the two rallying points to which, in case of an alarm, all women and children are at once to be brought. The heads of families are requested to attend personally to the removal of their wives and children, to whichever rallying point is the more easily attainable.

Signals of alarm.—In the day three guns to be fired in quick succession. At night rockets and blue fires in addition."

(2) "The Undersigned hereby issues an address to the community, and begs them to be tranquil under the following reasons:—1st.—He has no information to lead him to suppose any attack is intended.

2nd.—We have two men-of-war which could protect us from any attack.

3rd.—The undersigned has full confidence both in the good will and power of the higher authorities.

The undersigned's reading and experience of this news shows him that Secret Societies have always existed in China. These secret societies are not more numerous than they were in 1879. On the other hand there has been a marked improvement during the last 10 years, in the personal character of the officials, and in their good will towards the people.

The undersigned heartily approves of a committee taking these measures for self-protection, and is glad that these measures are being taken at the present moment; not because he apprehends danger, but because the kind assistance of Commanders Burr and Archer will render these measures more effective. Further, in a large community like this, there will be necessarily one or two persons, who from being unacquainted with the Chinese ways, might injure innocent natives. It is wise, therefore, that such persons should be controlled by others more experienced.

The undersigned has had some experience of Chinese mobs. They can easily be quelled by a few resolute men acting in concert, and in strict obedience to orders.

(Signed) C. T. GARDNER.

—N. C. Daily News.

YU CHANG.

(From our own Correspondent.)

June 18th.

The authorities continue on the alert to afford all possible protection to the foreigners resident within the city. Three nights ago there was a fire outside the city in the small hours of the morning, and almost instantly a company of soldiers were on guard at the doors of the Wesleyan Mission and High School, which though a mile distant was nearest the fire.

Evidently no chance was to be given to any incendiaries or looters. The cries of "kill" and "burn" were heard from the streets, and the various assembly grounds were rigidly supervised. It is to be feared however that the Viceroy's proclamation has exposed him to more hatred than sympathy in the minds of the people.

June 19th.

A rumour is given in the N. C. Daily News of June 13th, received this morning, that H. E. the Viceroy of the Hukwang has stated that he cannot rely on his soldiers. The facts are these. The city guard is composed of men who have been recruited from the ranks of the Chinese army, and the one exception is a company of five hundred Hunanese. There is no question but Chang Ching-tung remains intensely unpopular with all but a small section of the community; but there are no signs of braving his authority. I understand that people, as they read the outspoken proclamation insisting on protection for the foreigners and the Christian Church, "curse" the Viceroy. It is obvious then that were the troops to mutiny, they would look serious. It is disposed to think that the rumour rose from circumstances which happened three weeks or a month ago. A military official of good rank was punished with degradation or cashiering. He was a favourite with his soldiers and they went on a march to besiege the doors of the Judge's yamen and insist on his restitution. So determined were they that in the dead of night a messenger was sent post haste to the Viceroy imploring authority to quash the sentence. The authority was given, the official restored, and the soldiers pacified.

This was an awkward occurrence to happen just before a disturbance like the present, and goes rather to show that the military officials in command have a grave and responsible influence. Provided they be faithful, the soldiers will be faithful. It is exceedingly unlikely that the Viceroy has such a fear, still less likely that he uttered it. As a contrast to the incident above mentioned, only two days ago the Viceroy's command over his military officers was slightly proved. He had ordered a march from Matsien, fifty miles from here, instantly to increase the force in the city. The commanding officer having, of course, sundry little changes to make before the two or three hundred men employed could be brought up to the regulation five hundred for which he was drawing pay, reported himself as arrived, while he was still engaged in filling up defects. The Viceroy insisted on a personal interview, and ordered the march to be delayed until he had seen the troops. It was in the army all through the night, and the next day the Viceroy's command was fully proved. A military officer would be held indeed to raise the standard of revolt against so determined a superior. Things continue outwardly quiet; the air however is full of unrest. Mounted messengers are running along the main streets at all hours of the night. Dates are fixed for outbreaks. The rumour was that Hankow was to be attacked yesterday; all the military were in their places—and nothing happened. To-day and to-morrow are also mentioned. The suspense is being unpleasantly prolonged, but the conviction that Chang Ching-tung is strong enough remains unshaken. It is rumoured that Tse, the Hunan retired Taoist mentioned as responsible for the scurrilous literature, is to be rigorously proceeded against and examined. But Hunan gentry in Hunan are hard to arrest. It is to be hoped he is a myth. —N. C. Daily News.

HANKING.

(From our Correspondent.)

June 19th.

This city of historic fame and celestial pride seems again to be writhing in the usual tranquillity and was it not for the presence of the military guards around our houses there would be no evidence that the "glorious city of the Ming Dynasty" had ever been the scene of revolutionary incendiarism. The ignominious bearing of the people is reassuring, and they continually acquire as to when the foreigners are likely to return. The missionaries are preaching in the street chapels, and in the absence of the medical men, the foreign doctors are doing a good deal of work.

attending the sick in the hospital, and the dispensing of medicine at the hospital situate in the busiest part of the city. It is pleasing to report the peaceful state of affairs, which we sincerely trust will continue.

His Excellency the Viceroy has wisely and well spared no energy to prevent any further rising. Of course wild rumours are in the air, but these groundless fabrications seem to be native to this environment.

From chips gathered at conversations in the large tea shops we learn there is a deeply expressed great dissatisfaction with the present dynasty. The teacher class and people talk generally of their ripened convictions as to a near rebellion.

Our longing eyes grow weary while we vainly look for some little gunboat to come and stand by us "till the mists have rolled away." —N. C. Daily News.

The Viceroy of Nanking, says the *Shanghai*, Taoist to have a battalion of soldiers permanently stationed at that port. Several officials of low grade and deputies have been cashiered on account of their inability to suppress the late riot.

CHINESE SECRET SOCIETIES.

Most of the proscribed sects in China have been partly religious, but that is not the case with the Tai Li of Tientsin or the Kolo Hui of Hunan, says the *N. C. Daily News*. The sect that rose to the highest society as a political society in China formerly was certainly the White Lily Society, and this was partly a vegetarian sect, as appears from the information collected by the government when it gave trouble. It had an existence of nearly a century and disappeared when put down finally by force in the reign of Chia Ching at the beginning of this century. We never hear of it now. The White Lily Society began in Hubei. From this province it spread to Szechuan and then expanded also into Hunan and Shensi. It was partly condemned as a depraved sect and partly as a rebellion. What is its official language? A "depraved sect" or *hse chiao* is plain from the statute book and from official memorials. It is characterised as exciting and deluding the people and leading them to lawless conduct. The punishment to a local magistrate for allowing this to be done in his jurisdiction is deprivation of rank only. If he excites the people to rebellion so that a city is lost to the government, he is by law to be beheaded. There is this difference, and in reporting a local trouble the magistrate naturally calls it the act of a depraved sect if he can decently do so, because this diminishes his own criminality. Consequently in reports to the Government, magistrates usually represented the White Lily movement as the act of a depraved vegetarian sect, although, as a censor pointed out at the time, the magistrates were guilty of gross neglect in not soothing, exhorting, and guiding the people, and of pressing them to pay undue taxes, worrying them to work there was no call for, and exercising over them a tyranny beyond all reason. This is called in the statute book the crime of the part of magistrates of exciting to rebellion and beheading is the punishment. The White Lily, as the name suggests, was in fact a Buddhist vegetarian sect. Its members professed to worship Buddha, they read books with the word Buddha in them, avoided animal food and took a vow not to destroy animal life. In those respects the White Lily resembled the modern vegetarian sects in Shantung, Fukien and other provinces. But men with political designs joined them. The organisation was used as a convenience for agitation, and a great rebellion, to put down which required military operations on a large scale, was the result. Many of the sects at present have Buddhist names. The advantage they offer to political agitators is that they have night meetings in country places, that the members are registered, under leaders who are supplied with an income by the contributions of the members, and that the agitator by means of this organisation can secure large bands of obedient followers without much difficulty.

Besides the societies having a Buddhist basis there are the *planchette* societies, the societies of the Red Light and the White Light, and the sworn brotherhoods of men who cut off the head of a cock and mix the blood and wine, which they all drink, taking an oath not to desert one another. The question is asked: When may we run for our lives and when not? The oath fixes that point and its importance consists in the fact that no man can run away without determination to resist soldiers, *yamen* runners, police, and mandarins generally, at the moment of collision with constituted authority. At that point the brotherhood becomes rebellion. Before that the brethren are merely planning and taking preliminary measures. Such societies may not be political at all. They are merely instituted for mutual protection or other objects which clubs may have in view. They may, however, be patriotic and anti-foreign. The society may think it sees danger to China, and the least of the Society's progress is to prevent this if they can. There is no doubt that the Kolo Hui is a non-Buddhist military society. The people say that in taking the oath of membership they kill a cock and drink the blood, the old and new members do this together, and that this is a measure intended to ensure the fidelity of the members to each other. It began some fifty years ago in Yunnan and Kweichow. But later on its chief seat was in Hunan at present. It was in the army all through the Tai Ping trouble. Similar societies have existed in China ever since the Han dynasty. They often make much of the *planchette* which implies the Taoist element. A suspended pencil scratches characters on a sand *planchette*, and is supposed to be moved by one of the immortal genii of the Taoists, who comes down in response to an act of worship to the room where the members of the Society are assembled. 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